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SUBJ: FORTHCOMING CONVERSATION WITH PRESIDENT BAGAZA

CHIEF OF PROTOCOL HAS NOTIFIED ME THAT PRESIDENT BAGAZA WISHES TO MEET ME AT 0930 HOURS (EST) MARCH 17, AS PART OF EFFORT TO GET TO KNOW AMBASSADORS BETTER, AND, IN MY CASE, AS FOLLOW-UP TO MEETING EARLY FEB WITH AMBASSADOR YOUNG ON ZANZIBAR. APART FROM BILATERAL MATTERS, I HAVE NUMBER OF MATTERS TO RAISE ABOUT CERTAIN SIGNS OF XENOPHOBIA AMONG SENIOR OFFICIALS OF NEW REGIME, WHICH ARE DISQUIETING WESTERN COMMUNITY, AND WHICH ARE CAUSING EEC AMBASSADORS TO SEE MARXIST TENDENCIES IN NEW REGIME. AS OF NOW, I DO NOT SHARE THESE ANXIETIES, BUT, AT VERY LEAST, NEW REGIME IS BEING IMPETUOUS AS WELL AS THOUGHTLESS ON PUBLIC RELATIONS. PLEASE INDICATE BY YOUR COB MARCH 16 WHETHER YOU HAVE ANY PARTICULAR SUBJECTS YOU WANT RAISED. I WILL REVIEW GENERAL FOREIGN POLICY MATTERS, INCLUDING RECENT CAIRO SUMMIT, INCURSION INTO ZAIRE, ETC.
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